Ruby-crowned Kinglet C,s,C,6 and F,w,LU,2

PIPITS

Water Pipit R,i,1-2

WAXWINGS & SILKY FLYCATCHERS

Cedar Waxwing U,t,UT,2,6
Bohemian Waxwing R,i
Phainopepla R,s,LU,2,4

SHRIKES

Loggerhead Shrike U,s and R,w, LU,3,5

STARLINGS

Starling U,s (suburban areas)

VIREOS

Bell's Vireo U,s,LU,2
Gray Vireo R,s,U,5
Solitairy Vireo C,s,T,6
Red-eyed Vireo A
Warbling Vireo U,s,TC,2,6

WOOD WARBLERS

Orange-crowned Warbler U,t,UT 2,5-6
Nashville Warbler U,t,UT,2,6
Virginia's Warbler F,s,TC,6
Lucy's Warbler C,s,LU,2,4
Yellow Warbler F,s,LU,2
Yellow-rumped Warbler C,s,C,6 and C,t,LU,2
Black-throated Gray Warbler F,s, U,5
Townsend's Warbler U,t,UTC,2,5-6
Black-throated Green Warbler A
Hermit Warbler U,t,TC,6
Grace's Warbler F,s,T,6
Ovenbird A
Northern Waterthrush R,t,LU,2
MacGillivray's Warbler U,t,TC,2,3,6
Yellowthroat U,s,LU,1-2
Yellow-breasted Chat U,s,LU,1-2
Wilson's Warbler F,t,LUT,2,6
American Redstart R,i,LU,2
Painted Redstart R,i,LU,2

WEAVER FINCHES

House Sparrow F,p (suburban areas)

MEADOWLARKS, ORIOLES & BLACKBIRDS

Eastern Meadowlark R,i
Western Meadowlark F,p,U,3-4
Yellow-headed Blackbird U,t,1-2
Red-winged Blackbird F,p,LU,1-2
Hooded Oriole U,s,LU,2
Scott's Oriole U,s,U,5
Northern Oriole U,s,LU,2
Rusty Blackbird A
Brewer's Blackbird F,s,TC,2-6
Great-tailed Grackle R,i,LU,1-2
Brown-headed Cowbird F,s,1-6
Bronzed Cowbird R,i

TANAGERS

Western Tanager C,t,LU,2 and F,s,TC,6
Hepatic Tanager R,t,UT,2,5
Summer Tanager R,s,L,2

GROSBEAKS, FINCHES, SPARROWS & BUNTINGS

Rose-breasted Grosbeak R,i
Black-headed Grosbeak C,s,UT,5,6
Blue Grosbeak F,s,LU,2
Indigo Bunting U,s,LU,2
Lazuli Bunting U,s,LU,2
Dickcissel R,t,LU,2
Evening Grosbeak F,i,TC,6
Black Rosy Finch R,i
Purple Finch R,i
Cassin's Finch F,p,TC,6
House Finch F,s,LUT,2-6
Pine Grosbeak R,i,UTC,5-6
Pine Siskin F,p,TC,6
American Goldfinch R,i,3,6
Lesser Goldfinch F,s,U,2
Red Crossbill F,i,TC,6
Green-tailed Towhee F,s,C,3,6 and w,LU,2
Rufous-sided Towhee F,s,UT,5-6
Brown Towhee R,i
Lark Bunting R,i
Savannah Sparrow F,t,LU,2
Grasshopper Sparrow A
Vesper Sparrow U,s,U,3
Lark Sparrow U,s,U,3,4
Rufous-crowned SparrowU,p,U,4-5
Black-throated Sparrow F,s,U,3-4
Sage Sparrow U,t,U,3-5
Slate-colored Junco R,w,UTC,2,5-6
Oregon Junco C,w,UTC,2,5-6
Gray-headed Junco C,s,TC,5-6 and w,2,5-6
[Tree Sparrow]
Chipping Sparrow C,s,TC,6
Brewer's Sparrow U,w,LU,3-4
Black-chinned Sparrow U,s,U,4-5
Fox Sparrow R,t
Lincoln's Sparrow U,t,1-2
Swamp Sparrow A
Song Sparrow U,s,LU,1-2
Harris Sparrow A
White-crowned Sparrow C,w,2-5 and [R,s,C,6]
Golden-crowned Sparrow A
White-throated Sparrow A

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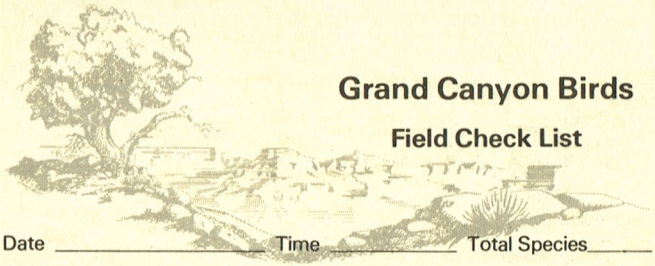

Grand Canyon Birds

Field Check List

Date _____ Time _____ Total Species_____
Observer _____
Temp. _____ Wind _____ Sky _____ Area _____
Notes (e.g. vegetation) _____

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Common names conform with the A.O.U. check list of North American Birds, 5th edition, 1957 and 32nd supplement, Auk 90:411-419, 1973.

Abundance

C = common; easily found in proper habitat in the right season
F = fairly common; may be found in low numbers or scattered through the proper habitat in the right season
U = uncommon; may or may not be found with difficulty in proper habitat in the right season
R = rare; not to be expected, occurrence unpredicatable
A = accidental; completely out of normal range
[ ] = hypothetical; alledged occurrence in area, not substantiated

Status

p = permanent resident
s = summer resident
w = winter visitant
t = transient (migrant)
i = irregular

General Habitat Preference

L = Lower Sonoran; creosote bush desert, along Colorado River and tributaries below river mile 165
U = Upper Sonoran; Ocotillo,sagebrush and blackbrush desert; pinyon-juniper and oak woodland, and abover river mile 165
T = Transition; ponderosa pine forest, often mixed with Douglas Fir and Gambel Oak
C = Canadian; spruce and fir forest

If no general habitat preference is listed, it may be expected to occur in all of the associations.

Specific Habitat Preference

1 = marsh and open water
2 = riparian (streamside)
3 = grassland
4 = desertscrub
5 = pinyon-juniper and oak woodland
6 = coniferous forest

Example: Cactus Wren R,p,L,4 (rare, permanent resident, Lower Sonoran, desertscrub)

GREBES
Eared Grebe U,t,LUT,1
Western Grebe R,t,LU,1
Pied-billed Grebe R,t,LUT,1

PELICANS
Brown Pelican A

CORMORANTS
Double-crested Cormorant R,t,LU,1

HERONS AND BITTERNS
Great Blue Heron F,t,LUT,1-2
Green Heron R,t,LU,1-2
Common Egret R,t,LU,1
Snowy Egret U,t,LUT,1
Black-crowned Night Heron U,s,L 1-2
[American Bittern]

IBISES AND SPOONBILLS
Wood Ibis R,t,LUT,1-2
White-faced Ibis U,t,LU,1

SWANS, GEESE AND DUCKS
Canada Goose U,t,1
Snow Goose R,t,LUT,1
Mallard F,t,1
Gadwall R,t,1
Pintail U,t,1
Green-winged Teal U,t,1
Blue-winged Teal U,t,1
Cinnamon Teal U,t,1
American Widgeon R,t,1
Shoveler U,t,1
Canvasback R,t,1
Redhead R,t,1
Ring-necked Duck R,t,1
Lesser Scaup U,t,1
[White-winged Scooter]
Bufflehead R,t,LU,1
Hooded Merganser A
Common Merganser R,t,1
Red-breasted Merganser R,t,1
[Ruddy Duck]

AMERICAN VULTURES
Turkey Vulture F,s,LUT,1-6

HAWKS AND HARRIERS
Sharp-shinned Hawk U,t,2-6
Cooper's Hawk U,s,2,4,5-6
Goshawk U,s,TC,6
Red-tailed Hawk F,p,2-6
Swainson's Hawk U,t,2-6
[Zone-tailed Hawk]
Ferruginous Hawk R,t,3-6
Golden Eagle U,p,UTC,2-6
Bald Eagle R,t,U-T,1-6
Marsh Hawk U,t,U-C,1-5

OSPREYS
Osprey R,t,1-2

FALCONS
Prairie Falcon R,p,LUT,1-6
Peregrine Falcon R,p,LUT,1-2,6
Pigeon Hawk R,t,UT,2-6
Sparrow Hawk F,p,2-6

GROUSE AND QUAIL
Blue Grouse U,p,C,6
Gambel's Quail U,p,LU,3-5

TURKEYS
Turkey F,p,3,5-6

RAILS, GALLINULES & COOTS
Virginia Rail R,t,1
American Coot U,t,1

PLOVERS
Killdeer U,t,1

SNIPE AND SANDPIPERS
Wilson's Snipe U,t,1
Long-billed Curlew R,t,1
Spotted Sandpiper U,s and F,t,1-2
Solitairy Sandpiper U,t,1
Willet R,t,1
Greater Yellowlegs R,t,1
Least Sandpiper U,t,LU,1
Long-billed Dowitcher R,t,1

AVOCETS AND STILTS
American Avocet U,t,LU,1
Black-neckd Stilt U,t,LU,1

PHALAROPES
Wilson's Phalarope R,t,LU,1
Northern Phalarope R,t,LU,1

GULLS AND TERNS
California Gull R,t,1
Ring-billed Gull R,t,1
Sabine's Gull R,i,1
Black Tern R,i,1

PIGEONS AND DOVES
Band-tailed Pigeon F,s,UT,5,6
Mourning Dove F,s,L-C,2-6 and F,w,LU,2-5
Ground Dove R,i

CUCKOOS & ROADRUNNERS
Yellow Billed Cuckoo R,t,LU,2
Roadrunner U,p,LU,3-5

OWLS
Screech Owl U,p,UT,2,5-6
Flammulated Owl R,s,TC,6
Great-horned Owl F,p,2-6
Mountain Pygmy Owl R,p,TC,5-6
Burrowing Owl R,s,U,3
Spotted Owl R,p,UT,5-6
Long-eared Owl R,i,UT,2,5-6
Saw-whet Owl U,s,TC,6

GOATSUCKERS
Poorwill F,s,LU,2-4
Common Night Hawk F,s,UTC,5-6

SWIFTS
Vaux's Swift R,t,U,1-2
White-throated Swift C,p,LUT,2-6

HUMMINGBIRDS
Black-chinned Hummingbird F,s, LU,2-5
Costa's Hummingbird R,s,L,4
[Anna's Hummingbird]
Broad-tailed Hummingbird C,s,TC,6
Rufous Hummingbird C,t,2-6
Calliope Hummingbird R,t,UT,5-6

KINGFISHERS & WOODPECKERS
Belted Kingfisher U,t,LU,1-2
Flicker C,p,T-C,6 and F,w,2-6
[Pileated Woodpecker]
Acorn Woodpecker U,s,UT,5-6
Lewis' Woodpecker R,s,UT,5-6 and U,w,UT,5-6
Yellow-billed Sapsucker F,s,2,5-6
Williamson's Sapsucker U,s,C,6
Hairy Woodpecker C,p,TC,6
Downy Woodpecker R,p,TC,6
Ladder-backer Woodpecker R,s,U, 2,3,5,
Northern Three-toed Woodpecker R,p,C,6

TYRANT FLYCATCHERS
Eastern Kingbird R,i
Western Kingbird U,s,LU,2,5
Cassin's Kingbird U,s,LU,2,5
Ash-throated Flycatcher F,s,LU,2,5
Black Phoebe F,s,LUT,2
Say's Phoebe F,p,LU,2-5
Willow Flycatcher U,s,U,2
Hammond's Flycatcher R (?)
Dusky Flycatcher R (?)
Gray Flycatcher R (?)
Western Flycatcher U,t,2,4-6
Western Wood Pewee F,s,UTC, 2,5-6
Olive-sided Flycatcher U,s,TC,6
Vermilion Flycatcher R,t,L,2

LARKS AND SWALLOWS
Horned Lark C,p,U,3
Violet-green Swallow C,s,TC,6 and LU(cliffs)
Tree Swallow R,i,LU,1-2
Bank Swallow R,i,LU,1-2
Rough-winged Swallow U,t,LU,1-2
Barn Swallow R,i,LU,1-2
Cliff Swallow R,s,U(cliffs)
Purple Martin U,t,TC,6

CROWS AND JAYS
Steller's Jay C,p,T,6
Scrub Jay F,p,U,5
Common Raven C,p,UTC,2-6
Common Crow U,t,Tc,3,5-6
Pinon Jay F,p,UT,5-6
Clark's Nutcracker U,p,TC,6

CHICKADEES, TITMICE & BUSHTITS
Mountain Chickadee C,p,UT,5-6
[Bridled Titmouse]
Plain Titmouse F,p,U,5
Verdin R,s,L,2,4
Common Bushtit F,p,U,5

NUTHATCHES & CREEPERS
White-breasted Nuthatch F,p,UT 2,5-6
Red-breasted Nuthatch U,p,TC,6
Pygmy Nuthatch C,p,T,6
Brown Creeper F,s,C,6 and F,w,T,6

DIPPERS
Dipper F,p(permanent side streams)

WRENS
House Wren F,s,TC,6
Winter Wren R,t,LUT,2-6
Bewick's Wren U,s,U,2-5
Cactus Wren R,p,L,4
Long-billed Marsh Wren R,t,1
Canyon Wren C,p(cliffs)
Rock Wren C,p,U,3-5

MOCKINGBIRDS & THRASHERS
Mockingbird U,s,U,3-4
Sage Thrasher U,t,U,3-4

ROBINS AND THRUSHES
Robin C,s,TC,6 and U,w,LUT,2-6
Hermit Thrush C,s,TC,6
Western Bluebird C,s,TC,6 and C,w,LUT,2-6
Mountain Bluebird F,s,TC,3 and U,w,U,3-5
Townsend's Solitaire F,t,UTC,5-6

OLD WORLD WARBLERS, GNATCATCHERS & KINGLETS
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher F,s,U,2,4
Black-tailed Gnatcatcher R,p,L,2
Golden-crowned Kinglet U,s,C,6